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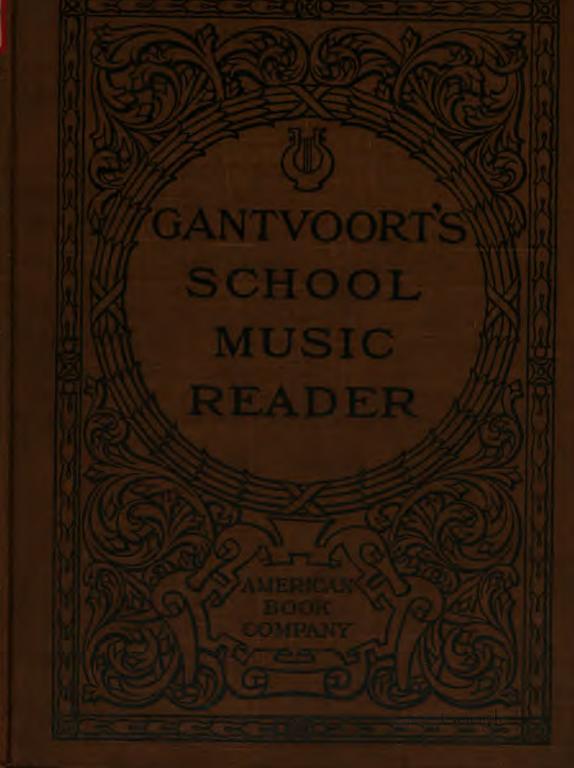
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PREFACE.

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Since the demand for instruction in the elements of vocal music and sight-singing has become almost universal, coming even from the smallest villages, and the rural schools, teachers in those schools have desired a music book designed especially for their usc. Their expressed desire was: 1) that the book should be large enough and contain enough songs to be of use to them and their pupils through several years of school life; 2) that it contain all the rudimental musical instruction necessary to enable the pupil on leaving school to take an intelligent part in the singing of the social circle and the church; 3) that it be so arranged that the music lesson could be given to all pupils in the room, old and young, advanced and beginning, at the same time, although the older and more advanced pupils had different and more difficult work than the younger pupils; 4) that it be arranged so as to be equally applicable in village schools; 5) that the book should contain songs for all occasions of school life, and many occasions of social life; 6) that many of the four-part songs should be so arranged as to be correct when sung in two parts, (Soprano and Alto), or in three parts, (Soprano, Alto and Bass); 7) that the book be so arranged as to be suitable for use in Teachers' Institutes, and other Teachers' Meetings, and that it contain many of the old and familiar songs, as well as many new ones; 8) that the music be of the best class.

This book is an attempt to gratify this manifold desire on the part of thousands of teachers in our rural and village schools, and is thus arranged to meet their wants: Part I, (pp. 3—20), contains a number of rote songs, with accompaniment, for Primary pupils.

Part II, (pp. 25—103), contains "The Elements of Music and Musical Notation," consisting of a series of graded exercises, with and without words, interspersed with a large number of songs, which are the outgrowth of the exercises which precede them, and may serve as further illustrations of the difficulties contained in the exercises. This portion of the book (Part II) is arranged to be used in three different ways: 1) The upper part of all pages which are divided by a line across the entire page, and the upper parts, (Soprano and Alto) of all the three-part exercises and songs, form one continuous elementary course, complete in itself, which can be used for all grades up to and including the sixth year of school life. 2) The lower part of the divided pages, and the bass part of all the three-part exercises and songs, can be used as a complete course for advanced pupils who have finished the upper part of the pages, or who, in conjunction with younger pupils just beginning, are reviewing this work; exercises on the different parts of the same page, which have the same number, being written so as to form perfect harmony with each other. 3) The complete pages (ignoring the dividing line) may be used consecutively with older pupils, and will then form a complete course of instruction for singing classes and teachers' institutes.

Part III contains explanations of the Minor Mode and Minor Scales, the tenor part as well as more difficult rhythmical exercises in compound measure, and should not be used until Part II has been thoroughly mastered, with this exception, that when the book is used for adult classes, the paragraphs containing explanations of the tenor clef and tenor part, may be used when necessary. When thus used the tenors should sing the soprano part of all three-part songs and exercises.

Part IV is a collection of songs, which can be used as such, or in connection with the instruction contained in Parts II and III. The four-part songs marked with a * are complete as two-part songs (Soprano and Alto,) or three-part songs (Soprano, Alto and Bass).

That this book may meet the wants of the teachers of our land, that it may aid in the dissemination of elementary musical knowledge, and in fostering the love of music in our children, is the earnest wish of

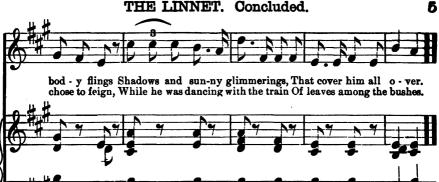
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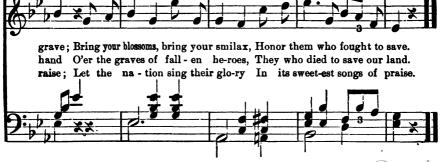




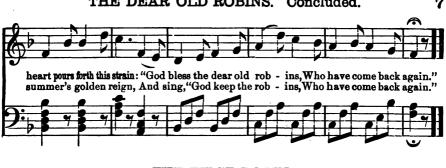


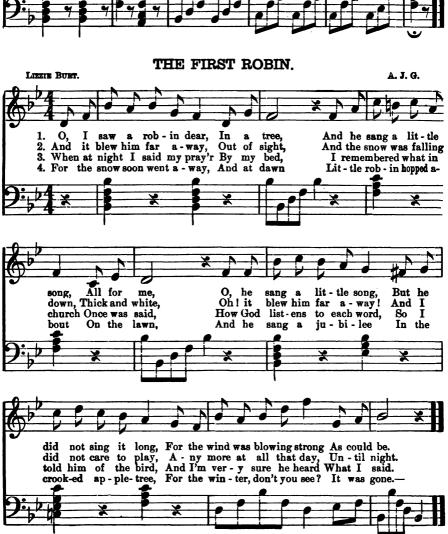








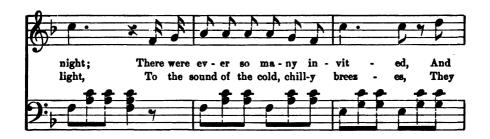






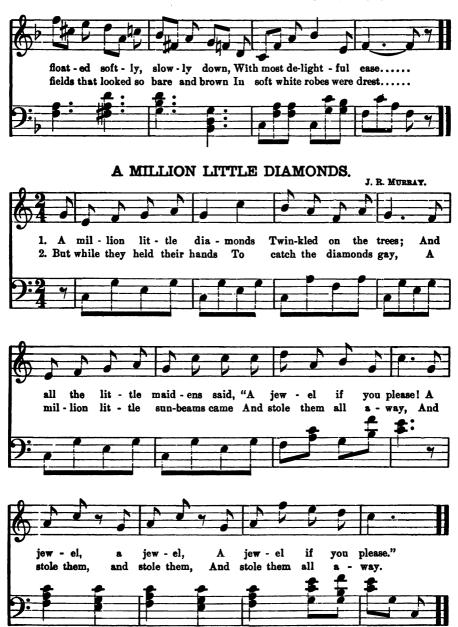






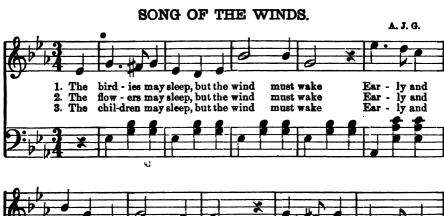


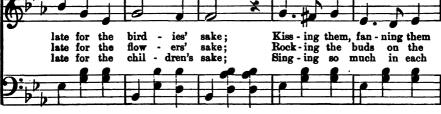


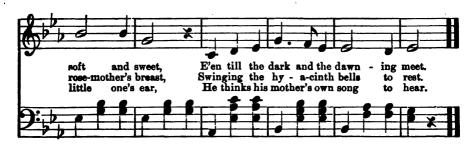








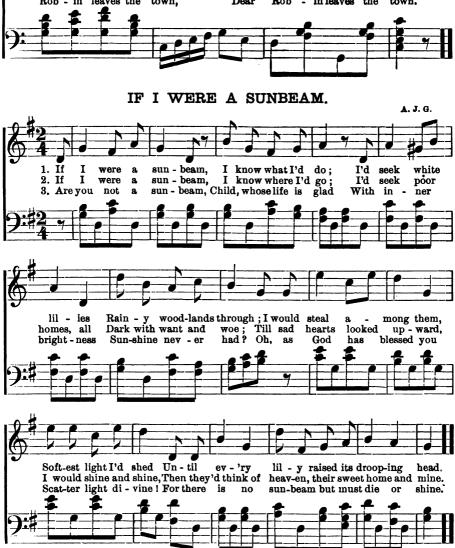




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4 How the forest sways and trembles,
Cometh on the blast
Of proud winter, wild and ruthless,
Cling we till the last!
Swish! it comes upon us wanton,
Cares not how we fare,
Bend we till it passes o'er us.
Rise then as in air.





INTRODUCTORY CHAPTER.

GENERAL SUGGESTIONS TO TEACHERS.

Pupils should first of all learn to sing by Rote some songs which could be used for opening exercises and for different hours of the days as Recreation songs. Suitable for that purpose are the songs on pages 121, 128, 131, 135, 137, 139, 141, 147, 150, etc. These songs might be sung by Soprano alone, Soprano and Alto, Soprano, Alto and Bass or in four parts as given. They will be complete in any of these ways.

Page 25, Ex. 1, presents the Major scale to be taught by imitation as a whole. With young pupils this might be preceded for the purpose of ear training by some imitation work of (1) single tones, of different pitch, sung to some special vowel as ā, ā, ē, ō, ōō, etc., and (2) short melodic phrases, or little snatches of song (one line of poetry), the teacher giving the example, the pupils imitating. Ex. 2. When the pupils are familiar with the tones of the scale these syllable names and scale names and the numerals representing the different tones, the teacher may call the numerals (making no skips of tones), the pupils singing the syllable names, and vice versa. This work should be done however without the book in the hands of the pupils. After this the pupils should read from the book, Ex. 2. Nos. I.—VI. Ex. 3. explains itself, but the teacher is advised not to demand skips over one or more tones. In all exercises the teacher should give the first tone. The use of the syllable la, loo, koo or any other syllable for all tones of an exercise is advisable so that pupils may soon acquire the ability to sing words and music at sight. The lower portion of this and succeeding pages in this part of the book (Part II.) is intended for advanced grades, (see Preface) but the teacher can use as much of the explanations therein contained as he may deem advisable.

Page 26. Ex. 4 and 5 as per direction, but may be used as a preliminary without the book, the teacher calling out the numerals the pupils singing the tones with syllable names, la or words. In regard to the use of the words in the exercises in the book, it is advisable that pupils should temporarily memorize the couplet of words to be used, so that they may not be compelled to read the words as well as the music at sight all the time. Preference should be given to the music reading, although occasionally pupils should read words and music at sight. Ex. 6. III. and VI. on the lower part of the page, form alto parts to the exercises of the same number on the upper half of the page. The same is true for all pages up to and including page 44.

Page 27-29 are to be used in the same manner as pp. 25 and 26.

Page 30. § 12 should be thoroughly impressed upon the pupils as it is the foundation of the movable do system.

Page 31, 32 should be thoroughly mastered and supplemented by similar exercises furnished by the teacher. The exercises on pp. 25—29 might be represented on the staff and the pupils themselves might also write them on the staff on slates or on paper.

Page 33. It should be thoroughly impressed that accent makes measures, bars only represent measures to the eye. Beating time is advisable.

Page 34. Pupils of lower grades who are using the upper part of the page only (see Preface) need but the explanation on the upper part of the page, but all explanation on the page may be used.

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Page 35. Deals with the extension of the scale above and below. It is advisable to give the pitch of Do in Ex. 22, lower than C and in Ex. 23, a little higher than C.

Page 35, presents the tie. Pupils should thoroughly understand the right use of the tie.

Page 37, begins three part measure. There may be some difficulty in the combining of the exercises on the upper and lower half of the page, but pupils should thoroughly master them before proceeding to the next.

Page 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43 and 44, should offer no especial difficulty.

Page 45, presents the introduction of the clefs, and the idea of absolute pitch names for the tones. Pupils should thoroughly learn the fact that the clef fixes the places where the different pitches are represented on the staff. As an aid to a quick learning of the places of the letters on the staff, pupils should form a number of words composed of these letters, (such as bag, gad, fad, cab, fade, face, etc.) writing a note on the line or space representing a pitch having the name of that letter for its name. For example: In the treble clef, one note in the first space, one in the second space, one on the fourth line, one in the fourth space and another on the fourth line, would represent the pitches F—A—D—E—D, which would form the word Faded.

For advanced pupils who take up the bass clef, the relationship between the pitches represented by the bass and treble staff should be thoroughly understood. The fact that the same pitch is represented by the first added line below the treble staff (C) and the first added line above the bass staff, (C) and is called middle C, should be made clear, as well as the fact that the treble clef is placed on the second line above middle C and the bass clef on the second line below middle C, which line would thus naturally represent F and the clef is therefore the F clef. The evolution of the two clefs from their respective letters G and F may also be made interesting.

Pages 46, 47 are an exemplification of the theoretical work on page 45.

Page 48, introduces the idea of keys. The fact of the key being a family of tones, which remain a family no matter in what order the tones appear, should be clearly demonstrated, as well as that the arrangement of the tones of a key in the order 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 forms the major scale of the key. What was said in previous lessons and in the Preface about the work on the different parts of the divided page, holds true here also and should be observed. Pupils who are taking this work the first time, need to know only what is contained on the upper part of the page.

If the pupils have become thoroughly familiar with the key of C, there will be no difficulty in reading in the key of G. The explanation on the lower part of this and many succeeding pages, regarding the formation of the major scale, the use of the sharp etc. should be thoroughly grasped. The essential points to be remembered, are that the tones E and F, and B and C are half steps apart, while all other adjoining tones of the scale of C, (or tones represented on adjoining unaltered staff degrees) are a whole step apart. 2d. that the major scale (which is an arrangement of the tones of a Major key), demands the use of a half step between 3 and 4, and 7 and 8 and a whole step between all other adjoining tones. 3d. that when a staff degree represents a tone a half step too low for use in the major scale of any key, a sharp must be placed on that degree, and when a staff degree represents a tone a half step too high for use in the major scale of any key, a flat must be placed on that degree. These three points, when thoroughly understood will explain the reason for the number of sharps or flats in the signatures of the different keys.

Page 49 gives Exercises in the new key. Ex. III. and IV. giving tones of the lower scale.

Page 50, is a preparation for two-and three-part singing. As a further preparation, the teacher might write on the board Ex. 6, III, and IV. (page 26) placing Ex. III. of the lower half of the page under Ex. III. of the upper half of the page.

Page 51, begins two-part singing for the younger pupils and page 52 begins three-part singing for the advanced pupils. It is advisable not to divide the class in permanent divisions of soprano and alto in the singing of the exercises, but instead to let each division occasionally sing the Second or Alto part. In the singing of the songs, such a permanent division is advisable. Pupils should understand that where two parts (Soprano and Alto) are written on the same staff, the notes of the Soprano part have their stems up and the notes of the Alto part their stems down, unless both notes are united to the same stem. When a note has two stems it represents both Alto and Soprano.

Page 52, contains two-part exercises on one staff, which are absolutely complete in themselves. The lower part of the page, representing the advanced work, contains a bass part to the same exercises which may however be sung by a second Alto division if there are no basses. This third part is not necessary for the enjoyment of the exercises but will add interest and new color to them, and it is therefore advisable that, with young pupils taking this work the first time, this third part be omitted.

Page 53, contains the first two-part (or three-part) songs. The younger pupils, or those going over this work the first time should only study the Soprano and Alto of this and all similar pages in Part II. containing three-part exercises and songs. These exercises and songs being so arranged as to be complete in two parts, (Sop. and Alto) and the reading of the Bass part should be reserved for the advanced grade. When the advanced grade takes this work, a permanent division of Basses should be formed, but the whole advanced grade should learn to read from the bass staff, and learn to sing the bass parts of all songs and exercises, although only the basses will sing it when they are used as three-part songs or exercises. In case the book is used for adults, tenors should in these exercises and songs sing with the sopranos.

Page 54 contains two little songs to be studied as explained above. The song on page 170 can also be used.

Page 55 begins the study of more difficult rhythms. Ex. 48. I. and II. should be thoroughly comprehended and, the fact, that, when there are two tones to be sung in the time of the tone to which we give the beat, the first tone falls on the beat and the other after the beat should be made clear. In Ex. 49, 50 and 51 pupils should beat time and say ta to each note, until they can give the rhythm of each exercise perfectly. The term rhythm in music means much. It means first of all, motion. Anything without rhythm has no motion, no life, no pulse. But it means much more than that. It means character as well. A simple statement for the terms rhythm and rhythmic, would be, that, tones of different lengths following each other and containing heavy and light accents at equal intervals of time make rhythm. This is not all there is of rhythm but it is a portion of the truth.

Page 56 gives rhythmic exercises on the staff. Pupils should first read them rhythmically, saying tä for each note, and should then sing them with syllables or with la or tä. Songs on pp 127, 141, 167, 170 may also be used.

Page 57 introduces the key of F major. The lower part of the page gives explanation of its formation. Pupils should form this scale by letter, and on the treble staff as well as on the bass staff.

Pages 58 and 59 are further illustrations of the key of F major.

Page 60. Introduces the dotted quarter note. Ex. 57, I, II and III should be taken in direct succession, II and III being exactly the same in effect, but different in appearance. The fact that a dot after a note, rest or dot, is equal to and adds thereto half the time value of that note, rest or dot should be made clear. This explanation can however be omitted at this time, and made later on.

Page 61. Contains a Song and a Round, containing the dotted quarter note. Song on pp 122, 126 may also be used.

Page 62. Introduces Chromatic tones, which are in short, tones not belonging to the key. Ex. 61, I demands great care upon the teachers' part. The teacher should draw on the board a similar Chromatic scale ladder, (on a larger scale) and daily practice should be kept from that ladder, but no skips to and from chromatic tones should be attempted at this time. The teachers might point Ex. 61, II, VI from the ladder on the board, the pupils' books being closed. In these exercises the halfsteps are all downward, that is from a tone to another a halfstep lower. Ex. 62 may be treated in the same manner.

Page 63 presents chromatic tones on the staff and should be thoroughly mastered.

Page 64 presents chromatic tones in the key of G major. 270, 71 and 72 should be made perfectly clear, as the exercises furnish abundant illustrations.

Page 65 is a further illustration of chromatic tones. What was said of previous three-part exercises and songs should be observed: beginning pupils should sing only the Soprano and Alto. Songs on pp 125, 141, 154, 167 may also be used.

Pages 66—75. Introduce and exemplify the keys of F major, B_2^{\dagger} major and D major with the chromatic tones occuring in these keys. Whenever any exercise or song offers any rhythmical difficulty, it should be practiced like the rhythmic exercises by saying ta to each note, until the rhythm is felt. The advanced pupils should study the formation of the major scales of the new keys as explained before. Songs on pp. 120, 121, 145, 147 may also be used.

Page 76. Introduces the fact that any note may represent the beat, and also the different measure signs. In Ex. 87, I, II and III are exactly alike in rhythm and effect and differ only in representation. The same is true of Ex. 88, I, II and III, and Ex. 89, I, II and III, the method of representation being optional with the composer. It should be especially understood that these exercises are exactly alike in effect, and that if measure is not necessarily any faster than if measure.

Pages 77—85. Completes the seven principal keys with their chromatic tones. We have now had the key tone on every line and space of the staff, and in all the succeeding keys, do will fall on one of the places used before. Further songs may be found on pp. 130, 144, 150, etc.

Pages 86—91. Illustrate the key of E major and A2 major with their chromatic tones and continues the use of varied rhythms.

- Page 92. Introduces the signs for the speed of songs and exercises. The terms for the five principal tempos mentioned should be learned. The first compound measure § is also introduced. In Ex. 121, I and II differ only in accent, see § 98.

Pages 93—103. Deal with examples of a measure and introduce the last of the keys in ordinary use, B major and DP major; there are however four other major keys, F major, (6 sharps) C major, (7 sharps) GP major, (6 flats) and CP major, (7 flats), but as their key tone is in the same place as that of some previous key, they will offer no difficulty in reading, and as they are but very rarely used, examples in these keys are unnecessary in a book of this kind and for this purpose.

Pupils should now return to the first of Part II and review and master all that was not mastered before. Study the lower portion of the pages, learning to read in the bass clef, etc.

Part III will offer no difficulty if the previous work has been learned.

The teacher is urged not to practice too much on exercises, which, no matter how well they are written, will never furnish the pleasure nor foster the love of song as the songs will do. It is therefore better to sing much and study technics a little, than to study technics much and sing but little.

PART II.

The Elements of Music and Musical Notation.

THE TONES OF THE SCALE.

Ex. 1. Imitation work.

- 1. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8—8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1—do, re, mi, fa, sol, la si, do, do, si, la, sol, fa, mi, re, do.
- n. 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1—1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8—do, si, la, sol, fa, mi, re, do, do, re, mi, fa, sol, la, si, do.

Ex. 2. Sing with scale names and singing names.

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- Ex. 3. Sing from the scale ladder on the blackboard (the teacher pointing) with scale names, singing names, and with syllable la or koo.

SCALE LADDER

- 8 DO 7 SI 6 LA 5 SOL 4 FA 8 MI 9 RE —
- 1. Musical sounds are called tones.
- 2. A major scale consists of eight tones in a certain regular order. (See the scale ladder.)
- 3. The numerals indicate the place of each tone in the scale and are called the SCALE NAMES.
- 4. For singing purposes the syllables do, re, mi, fa, sol, la, si, do, are used instead of the numerals and are called the singing names or SYLLABLE NAMES.
- 5. When a dash (—) is placed after a numeral, it indicates a longer tone.
 - Ex. 1, 2 and 3 as above.

Ex. 4. Sing with scale names, singing names, la and koo.

1 2 3 4 3 2 1—2 3 4 3 2 2 1—

п. 1 2 3 3 4 3 2—3 4 3 4 3 2 1—

m. 1 2 3 4 3 4 3—4 3 4 3 2 2 1—

rv. 1 2 2 3 3 4 4—3 4 4 3 3 2 3—

v. Sing from scale ladder on the board; teacher pointing.

Ex. 5. Sing each exercise with scale names, singing names, la or words.

r. 1 2 3 2 3 4 5 — 5 4 3 2 3 2 1— Hear the pat-ter of the rain, Tap-ping on the win-dow pane.

n. 1 1 2 2 3 3 4—5 5 4 4 3 2 1—

m.1 2 3 3 4 4 5 - 5 4 4 3 3 2 1-

rv. 1 2 3 4 5 5 5 -4 3 3 2 1 2 3-

v. 3 4 5 5 4 3 2 -- 3 4 4 3 3 2 1-

VI. Sing from scale ladder or numerals on the board.

Ex. 6. Sing each exercise with scale names, syllables, or words.

r. 1 2 3 4 5 6 5 — 6 5 5 4 3 2 1— Let us sing a mer-ry lay, Time will quick-ly pass a-way.

u. 1 1 2 2 3 4 5—6 5 6 5 5 4 3—

m. 1 2 3 3 4 5 6 - 5 6 5 4 3 4 3 -

vi. 3 4 5 5 6 6 5 - 4 5 4 3 3 2 1-

Ex. 4 and 5 as above. For directions see Introductory Chapter, pages 21-24.

Ex. 6. I and II as above.

m. 1 2 1 1 2 3 4—3 4 3 2 1 2 1—

rv. 1 2 3 3 4 4 3—2 3 2 1 1 2 1—

Ex. 7. Sing each exercise as before and with words.

Let us sing a lit-tle song, Time will quick-ly pass a-long.

8 7 6 7 8 7 6 — 5 6 5 4 3 2 1— Nev-er mind how long the day, Sing-ing makes it fly a-way.

n. 1 2 3 4 5 6 5—6 7 8 7 6 6 5— 6 7 8 7 6 5 4—3 4 5 4 3 2 1—

m. 8 7 8 7 6 7 8—7 6 5 6 5 4 3— 4 3 2 3 4 5 6—6 5 6 7 8 7 8—

rv. 3 4 5 5 6 7 8—7 7 6 5 4 3 2— 8 2 1 2 3 4 5—5 5 6 6 7 7 8—

v. 5 4 8 4 5 5 6—6 7 8 7 7 6 5—

6 7 8 8 7 6 5-4 8 4 3 2 2 1-

Ex. 7. Senior pupils sing their exercises at the same time as the junior pupils.

I. As above.

1. 1 2 1 2 3 4 3—4 4 3 3 4 4 3—4 4 3 3 4 4 3—4 4 3 3 4 5 4 3—

m. 1 2 3 3 4 4 3—4 4 3 4 3 2 1— 2 3 4 3 2 3 4—4 3 4 4 3 2 3—

rv. 1 2 3 3 4 4 3—2 3 4 3 2 1 2— 1 2 3 4 5 4 3—4 3 4 4 5 4 3—

v. 8 2 1 2 3 8 4—4 4 3 2 3 4 3— 4 4 3 3 4 4 3—4 5 6 5 6 7 8—

- Ex. 8. Skips over one tone of the scale. Thirds.

Ex. 9.

Ex. 8. I, II, III and IV as above.

Ex. 9. I, II, III and IV as above.

^{6.} The highness or lowness of a tone is called its PITCH.

^{7.} The difference in pitch between two tones is called an INTERVAL.

^{8.} A leap or skip over one tone of the scale is called a leap of a third. The starting tone and the landing tone form an interval called a THIRD.

I LOVE THE SEASONS.

5 3 5 5 6 7 8 — 7 6 5 6 5 4 3— 1. Love - ly are the days of Fall, Yet I love the sea-sons all.

1. Love - ly are the days of Fall, Yet 1 love the sea - sons all.
2. Win - ter brings us snow and ice, Sum - mer, days that are so nice.

4 3 5 4 6 6 7 - 8 6 5 6 8 7 8-

Sum-mer, Win-ter, Fall and Spring, And of each there's much to sing.
 Spring, the birds and sweet-est hours— Au-tumn, trees that look like flow'rs.

THE CRICKET.

8 5 6 5 6 7 8 7 6 8 7 6 5 4 3-

Cheer-ful lit - tle chirp-ing crick - et, Thank you for your ser - e - nade;
 In some cor - ner dark and lone - ly, All un - seen, un-found, you sing;

4 3 5 4 6 5 7 6 5 6 7 8 8 7 8-

1. Gai - ly, light - ly all the even - ing, You your fair - y lute have played.

2. By your mer - ry mu - sic on - ly Do we know you, hap - py thing.

I LOVE THE SEASONS.

3 1 3 3 4 2 3 - 2 4 3 4 3 2 1-

1. Love - ly are the days of Fall, Yet I love the sea-sons all.
2. Win - ter brings us snow and ice, Sum - mer, days that are so nice.

2 1 3 2 4 3 2 - 3 4 3 4 2 4 3-

Sum-mer, Win-ter, Fall and Spring, And of each there's much to sing.
 Spring, the birds and sweet-est hours— Au-tumn, trees that look like flow'rs.

THE CRICKET.

1 8 4 8 4 2 8 5 4 8 2 4 8 2 1—

1. Cheer-ful lit - tle chirp-ing crick - et, Thank you for your ser - e - nade; 2 In some cor - ner dark and lone - ly, All un - seen, un-found, you sing;

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1. Gai - ly, light - ly all the even ing, You your fair - y lute have played.

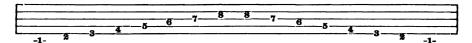
2. By your mer - ry mu - sic on - ly Do we know you, hap - py thing.

NOTATION.

9. Five horizontal lines the same distance apart are called a STAFF.



- 10. The staff is used to represent the pitch of tones.
- 11. Each line, and the space on each side of each line represents a different sound. The lines and spaces are called staff degrees.
- 12. The tone 1 may be represented by any line or space of the staff, (any staff degree.)



- Ex. 10. Practice reading from the staff with numerals on the blackboard, the teacher pointing, using singing names.
- Ex. 11. Practice reading from the staff without numerals, using scale names and singing names.
- Ex. 12. Practice reading from the staff, with and without numerals, using the syllable la.
 - 13. Instead of the numerals, notes are used on the staff.
- 14. A note on a line or space of the staff, calls for the tone represented by that line or space.
 - 15. The most commonly used note is called a quarter note ().
 - Ex. 13. The scale on the staff in quarter notes.



16. This sign on is called a Pause or HOLD and calls for a longer tone.

Ex. 14. Sing with scale names, singing names and la.



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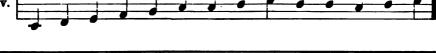
31 Ex. 15. Sing each exercise with scale names, singing names. or words. the birds have gone, Rob - in red - breast sings a - lone. Ex. 15. I and II as above. the birds have gone, Rob - in red - breast sings a - lone.

Ex. 16. Sing each exercise with scale names, singing names, la or words.



Flow - ers, flow - ers, pret - ty flow'rs, Love - ly make the sum - mer hours.





Ex. 16. Leaps of a third.





Ex. 17. Sing strong tones for the heavy numerals and weak tones for the light numerals.

1 2 3 2 3 4 5 5 6 5 6 7 8 7 8 8

- 17. When we sing strong tones for the heavy numerals, we divide the tones into groups called *measures*; each strong tone being the beginning of a *measure*.
- 18. A vertical line called a bar is used to mark the end of each measure. A heavy or double bar is placed at the end of the exercise or song.

Ex. 18.

1 2 | 3 2 | 3 4 | 5 5 | 6 7 | 8 7 | 8 8 |

- 19. In this exercise there are two tones or parts in each measure, one strong and one weak part.
- 20. Any part of a measure may be silent and have no tone in it. When we use numerals such a silence is shown by the numeral 0; when we use the staff it is shown by this sign χ called a quarter rest.

Ex. 19.

- L 1 2 | 3 0 | 3 4 | 3 2 | 3 4 | 5 0 | 6 7 | 8 0 |

 H. 3 4 | 5 5 | 6 7 | 8 8 | 7 6 | 5 0 | 5 4 | 3 0 |

 H. 5 0 | 4 0 | 3 4 | 3 2 | 2 3 | 4 0 | 3 2 | 1 0 |

 IV. 8 7 | 6 6 | 5 0 | 4 3 | 2 3 | 4 5 | 6 7 | 8 0 |
- 21. The two parts of each of these measures may also be shown by moving the hand down for the strong part of the measure, up for the weak part of the measure. This is called beating time.
 - Ex. 20. Sing like previous exercises and beat time.
 - 1 0 | 2 0 | 3 4 | 5 0 | 6 0 | 5 0 | 6 7 | 8 0 |
 8 0 | 7 6 | 5 0 | 4 0 | 3 2 | 3 4 | 3 2 | 1 0 |
 8 4 | 5 0 | 6 5 | 4 3 | 4 5 | 6 0 | 7 7 | 8 0 |

22. When there are two parts in a measure, the number 2 is the upper one of two numbers on the staff at the beginning. These two numbers are called the measure sign.

Ex. 21. Beat time and sing with scale names, syllable names or words.



23. When a quarter note () receives the beat, the number 4 is the lower one of the two numbers on the staff at the beginning.

Ex. 21. I and II as above.



24. When we sing above upper do, we sing in a higher scale of which upper do is 1 and the tones above this do will be again 2 (re), 3 (mi), etc.

Ex. 22. Sing with scale names, singing names and la.

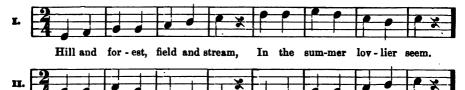


25. When we sing below lower do, we sing in a lower scale of which lower do is 8, and the tones below this do will be again 7 (si), 6 (la), etc.

Ex. 23. Sing with scale names, singing names and la.

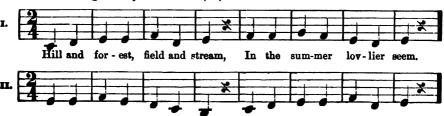


Ex. 24. Sing with syllable names, la, or words.



Ex. 22 and 23 as above.

Ex. 24. Sing with syllable names, la, or words.



26. A tone lasting through two beats of a measure may be represented by two tied quarter notes , or a half note . The curved line connecting two notes on the same line or space is called a TIE.

Ex. 25. With leaps of a third.



Ex. 26.



Sing, oh, sing the Lord is good. From the gar - den, field and wood,



Ex. 25.



Oh, the brisk and mer - ry rain, Bring-ing glad-ness in



Ex. 26.



From the gar - den, field and wood, Sing, oh, sing the Lord is good.



Ex. 27. Sing strong tones for the heavy numerals and weak tones for the light numerals.

I.	123	234	3 4 5	6 5 6	787	654	332	121
II.	121	232	123	434	5 65	434	5 67	888
III.	343	234	543	212	3 4 5	678	767	888

- 27. When we sing strong tones for the heavy numerals in these exercises, we divide the tones into measures each containing three tones.
 - 28. The strong tone is always the beginning of a measure.
- 29. When there are three parts in a measure, we beat time, **DOWN**, for the strong tone or strong part of the measure, and *left*, up for the weak parts of the measure.
- 30. When there are three parts, or three beats in a measure, the number 3 is always the upper one of the two numbers on the staff at the beginning.

Ex. 28. Sing with scale names, syllable names, la or koo.



Ex. 27 and Ex. 28—I as above.

Sing with scale names, syllable names, la or koo.



Ex. 29. Sing with scale names, syllable names, or la.

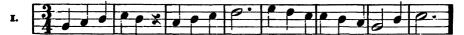




31. A DOTTED HALF NOTE, J. may be used instead of three tied quarter notes.



Ex. 30. Sing with syllable names, la, or words.



Come to the meadow, come to the wood, Study sweet nature in si-lent mood.



Ex. 29. I and II as above.



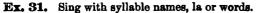
Ex. 30. Sing with syllable names, la, or words.



Come to the meadow, come to the wood, Stu-dy sweet nature in si-lent mood.



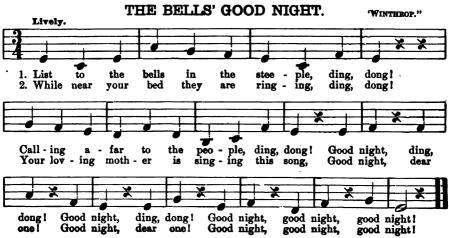
32. A leap or skip over two tones of the scale is called a leap of a fourth. The starting tone and the landing tone will form the interval of a fourth.







Ex. 31. I and II as above.



- 33. A song or exercise may begin with any part or beat of the measure. The missing parts or beats will then form the last measure of the song or exercise.
- 34. When a song or exercise begins with any other than the down beat, it begins and ends with a broken measure.

Ex. 32. Sing with syllable names, la or words.



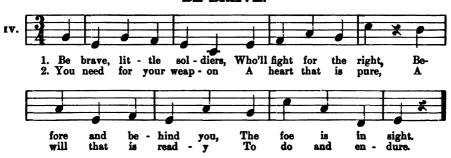
When the May time comes the pret - ty flow'rs will bloom a - gain.





Ex. 32 as above.





35. When the number 4 is the upper one of two numbers on the staff at its beginning, it means that there are four beats or parts in the measure. We beat time for four part measure, DOWN, left, right up.

Ex. 33. Sing with syllable names, la or koo.



Ex. 33. Sing with syllable names, la or koo.

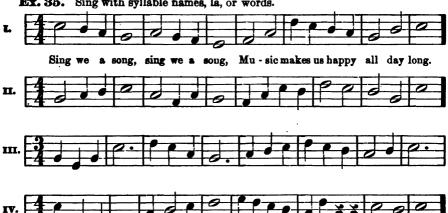


Ex. 34. Sing with syllable names.



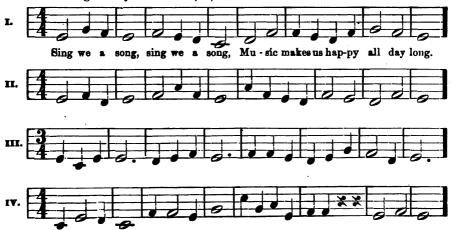
36. A whole note (2) is equal to four tied quarter notes, and may be used in their stead.

Ex. 35. Sing with syllable names, la, or words.

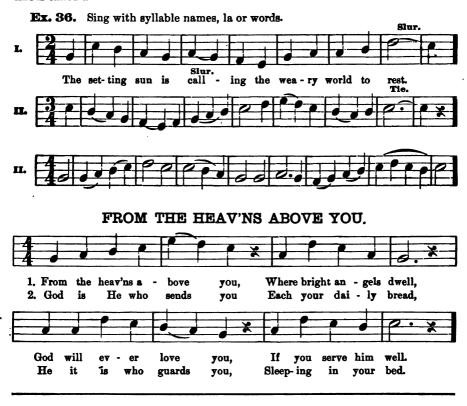


Ex. 34. As above.

Ex. 35. Sing with syllable names, la, or words.



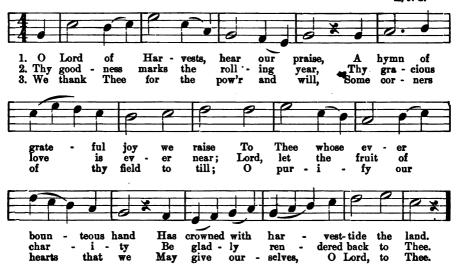
37. When a curved line is placed over or under two or more notes on different lines or spaces, one syllable or word must be applied to all these notes. Such a curved line is called a SLUR.



Ex. 36. As above.

FROM THE HEAV'NS ABOVE YOU.







- 38. The numerals 1, 2, 3, etc., and the syllable names do, re, mi, are used to show us the place of each tone in a scale, but are not the real names of the tones.
- 39. Each tone has a name of its own which is always the same and is called its PITCH NAME.
- 40. The names of the first seven letters of the alphabet are used as the pitch names of the tones.
- 41. A scale is named after the pitch name of the tone upon which it begins, and which is taken as 1 or do of the scale.

Ex. 37. Major scale of C.

- r. Scale names 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1
- II. Singing names do re mi fa sol la si do | do si la sol fa mi re do.
- III. Pitch names c d e f g a b c | c b a g f e d c.
- IV. Teacher calling numerals, pupils sing pitch names.
- v. Teacher calling pitch names, pupils sing syllable names.
- 42. By means of signs called Clefs, placed upon the staff, each staff degree is made to represent the pitch of a definite tone.
- 43. When this sign \Rightarrow called the G clef or Treble clef is placed upon the staff, the first little or ADDED LINE below the staff represents the tone C.(called middle C.)
- Ex. 38. Major scale of C. Sing with scale names, syllable names, and pitch names.

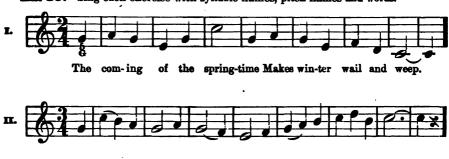


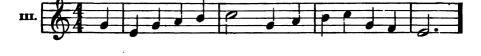
- II. Pupils sing from a blank staff (with a G clef on it), on the blackboard, the seacher pointing, pupils singing pitch names.
- 44. When this sign 3: called F clef or Bass clef, is placed upon the staff, the second space of the staff represents the tone C. (an octave below middle C.)
 - Ex. 38. Major scale of C. Sing with scale names, syllable names, and pitch names.



11. Pupils sing from a blank staff (with an F clef on it), on the blackboard, the teacher pointing, pupils singing pitch names, scale names, syllable names.

Ex. 39. Sing each exercise with syllable names, pitch names and words.







Ex. 15. Sing each exercise with syllable names, pitch names and words.



The com- ing of the spring-time Makes win - ter wail and weep.

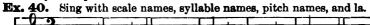






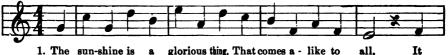
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45. A leap or skip over three tones of the scale or three staff degrees, is called a skip of a FIFTH. The starting tone and the landing tone, as well as the two staff degrees where they are represented will form the interval of a FIFTH.





SUNLIGHT AND MOONLIGHT.

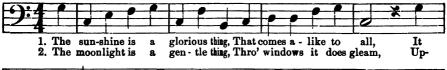


1. The sun-shine is glorious thing, That comes a - like to 2. The moonlight is gen - tle thing, Thro' windows it does gleam,

poor man's home, And al - so gleams on lights hous - es pil - lows, Where the hap - py chil - dren dream.



SUNLIGHT AND MOONLIGHT.





lights poor man's home, And al - so gleams on hous - es the pil - lows, Where the hap - py chil - dren dream.

46. Tones belong together in families called KEYS, each of which is grouped around the tone which is taken as 1 of the scale or do and which is called the KEY TONE.

47. These families of tones or KEYS are named after the tone which is taken as 1

or do, or key tone.

48. In all the previous exercises the tone C was taken as 1 or do, or key tone and

therefore we sang in the family or KEY of C.

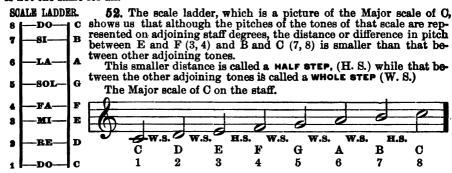
49. Any tone may be taken as 1 or do, but, when any other tone than C is taken as key tone (1 or do), it must be indicated by a sign or signature at the beginning of the staff, consisting of one or more sharps (#) or flats (!) which form the KEY SIGNATURE.

50. When the tone G is taken as key tone, the key signature will be one sharp (#)

at the beginning of the staff on the fifth line.

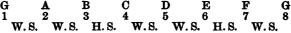


51. The difference in pitch between tones represented on adjoining staff degrees is not the same for all.



53. Any staff degree may be made to stand for a tone a half step higher by placing a sharp (#) on that degree. The pitch name of the new tone thus represented, will be the same letter as before but with a sharp added to the letter as F#, C#, etc.

54. When we form a scale with G as key tone (1 or do),



we find that there is a half step between 6 and 7, and a whole step between 7 and 8. The form of the major scale demands a whole step between 6 and 7 and a half step between 7 and 8, therefore the tone F is a half step too low for use in the key of G. We therefore use a tone a half step higher (FK) and represent it on the same degree, which will bring the half step in the right place between 7 and 8. When this sharp is placed on the degree which is thus altered, immediately after the clef, it forms the signature of the key of G. Major.

Major scale of G, or G major scale.





TWO AND THREE PART ROUNDS.

THE SCHOOL BELL. (Round for two voices.)



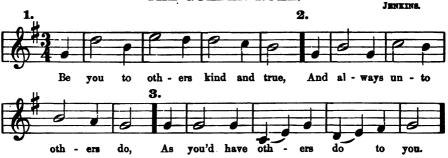
The school bell in its morn-ing call Says, come to stud - y one and all.

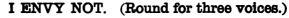
ALL THE WORLD. (Round for two voices.)

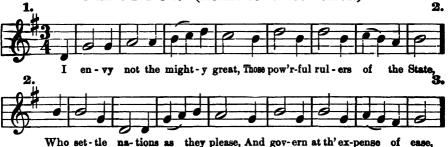


All the world is daz-zling snow, Come, O come and let

THE GOLDEN RULE.







Who set-tle na-tions as they please, And gov-ern at th'ex-pense of ease,



No, I'll be great by be - ing good; To guide my-self is all I would.

- 55. A HALF REST (=) denotes a silence equal to two quarter rests.
- 56. A WHOLE REST (-) denotes silence during the whole measure.

Ex. 42. Sing with syllable names, and pitch names.



Ex. 43.



Ex. 44.

Ex. 42 and 43 on the same staff.



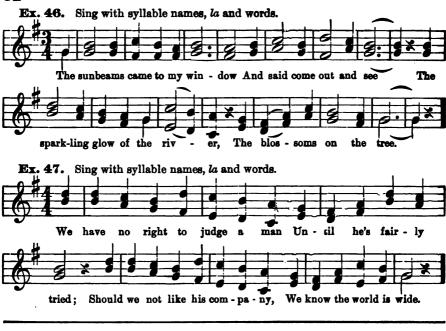
57. When the first portion of a song or exercise is to be sung twice it is separated from the remainder by a double bar with dots before it:

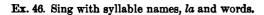
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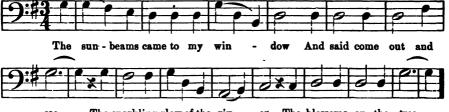
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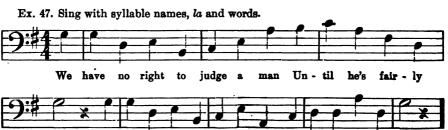
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see The sparkling glow of the riv - er, The blossoms on the tree.



tried; Should we not like his com-pa-ny, We know the world is wide.



THE MERRY HEART.











58. Two short tones may be sung in the time of the tone to which we give one beat. Their length is represented by notes like these of called EIGHTH NOTES. Ex. 48.



Ex. 49, 50 and 51 as above.







59. When the tone F has been taken as key tone (1 or do), it is shown by a flat (2) being placed on the third line of the treble staff. This flat is the key signature of the key of F-major.





60. Any staff degree may be made to stand for a tone a half step *lower*, by placing a *flat* (2) on that degree. The pitch name of the new tone thus represented, will be that of the same letter as before but with a *flat* added to the letter name as B2, E2, etc.

61. When we form a scale with F as key tone (1 or do), we find that there is whole

step between 3 and 4, and a half step between 4 and 5. The form of the major scale demands a half step between 3 and 4 and a whole step between 4 and 5, and hence the tone B is a half step too high for use in the scale of F. We therefore use in its place a tone a half step lower, B2, and represent it on the same staff degree, which will bring the half step in the right place between 3 and 4. When this flat is placed on the degree thus altered, immediately after the clef, it forms the signature of the key of F-major.

MAJOR SCALE OF F, OR F-MAJOR SCALE.



Ex. 54.



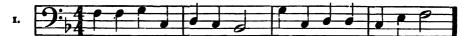
Fol-low thou in words and deeds, Where the God with - in thee leads.



62. When two or more eighth notes are joined by their hooks **[]**, the tones they represent are to be sung to one syllable or word, and are called *slurred*.



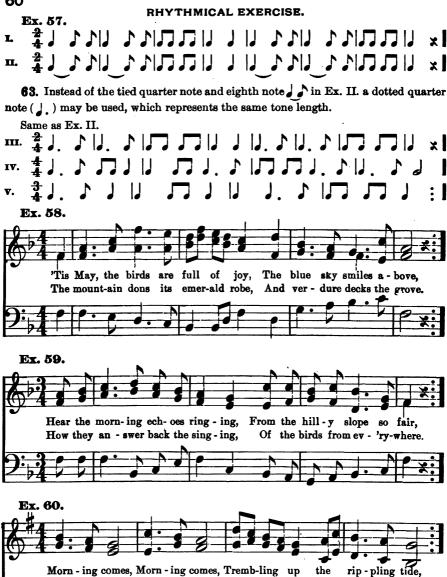
Ex. 54.



Fol-low thou in words and deeds, Where the God with - in thee leads.







Morn - ing comes, Morn - ing comes, Tremb-ling up

Morn - ing comes, Morn - ing comes, Spread-ing glo - ries

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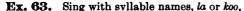
SCALE LADDER.			63. The difference in pitch between every two adjoining tones of
DO 18			the major scale is not the same. By examining the scale ladder we
81		7	see that the distance (difference in pitch) between 3 and 4, and 7 and 8, is half as great as that between other adjoining tones. This smaller
LA		6	distance is called a HALF STEP, and the larger distance is called a WHOLE STEP.
SOL		5	64. Where ever there is a whole step in the major scale, we can sing an intermediate tone, which will be a half step below the upper tone and
FA		4	a half step above the lower tone. For example between 2 and 3 of the major scale there is a whole step. The intermediate tone, will be a
MI		8	half step higher than 2 and a half step lower than 3.
RE		2	65. These intermediate tones do not belong to the key, but are only occasional visitors, and are called Chromatic tones. They are indicated by sharps (#) or flats (p), the sharp (#) indicating a tone a half step
DO		1	higher, the flat (P) indicating a tone a half step lower.

66. When an intermediate tone is introduced between every two tones of the major scale, which are a whole step apart, these tones will form with the regular tones of the scale, a new scale, called a CHROMATIC SCALE, which will consist entirely of half steps.

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Chromatic Scale Ladder.		•				
DO 8 DO SI SI D7 #6 LI	teache	r pointing	ζ.	c scale ladder		
LE b6-#5 SIL	п. 12	3 #2	345	0 5#4	56 7	5 8 —
SOL 5 SOL SOL FI FA						
MI 3 MI	IV. 1 2	3 2	#123	2 1 #1	24 3	21-
ME b8 #2 RI RE 2 RE		•••		* 11	-	
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Ex. 62.						
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5± 4	5-16	#5 6	7 8	7 676	5 7 8-	4

- 67. When a sharp or flat is used in the key signature it affects all the staff degrees which have the same pitch name (letter) throughout the whole song or exercise and the tones thus represented belong to the key.
- 68. When a sharp or flat is used on the staff degree, which is not affected by the key signature, it makes that degree represent a tone not belonging to the key. Such a tone is called a chromatic tone.
- 69. The sign for a chromatic tone affects the line or space on which it is placed, throughout the measure in which it is used, NO FURTHER.

CHROMATIC TONES IN THE KEY OF C.







Ex. 64. Chromatic Tones in the key of G major.



70. When a staff degree has been made to represent a higher or a lower tone, by a sharp or flat, whether in the signature or as a chromatic tone, the effect of that sharp or flat may be removed or canceled by placing a sign like this (2), called a NATURAL OF CANCEL upon that degree.

71. A NATURAL or CANCEL removes the effect of a sharp or flat on a staff degree

ONLY throughout the measure in which it is used, NO FURTHER.

72. When a NATURAL or CANCEL is placed upon a staff degree bearing a sharp, (whether in the signature or as a chromatic tone), it makes that degree represent a tone a half step lower.





73. When a NATURAL or CANCEL is placed upon a staff degree bearing a flat, (whether in the signature or as a chromatic tone,) it makes that degree represent a tone a half step higher.





74. When the tone D has been taken as key tone, (1 or do) it is shown by two sharps, placed on the fifth line (F*), and the third space (C*), of the treble staff. These two sharps form the key signature of the key of D-major.

Ex. 73. Scale exercise in the key of D-major.

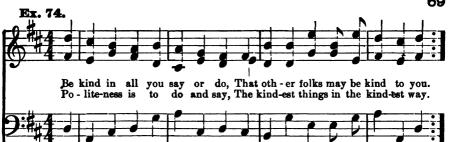


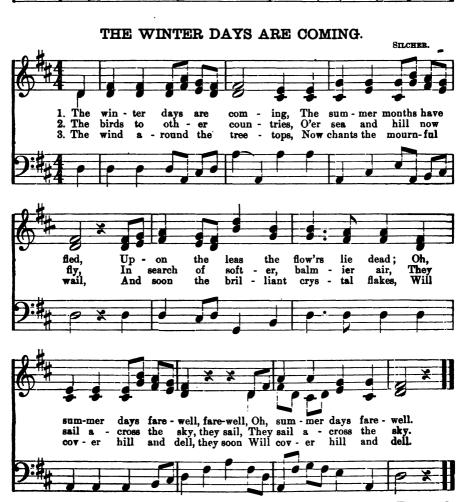
75. When we form a major scale with the tone D as key tone, (1 or do),

we find that there are half steps between 2 and 3 and 6 and 7, and whole steps between 3 and 4 and 7 and 8. The tones F and C are therefore each a half step too low for use in the scale of D-major, and we must use in their places tones a half step higher, F and C. When the two sharps which will make the staff represent these tones are placed on the degrees representing F and D immediately after the clef, they form the signature of the key of D-major.













Ex. 76.



Think gen - tle tho'ts, they will im - part A bless - ed sweet-ness



to thy heart, A bless - ed sweet - ness to thy heart.



Do gen - tle deeds; they sav- or most, Of vir- tues which the soul may boast.

Ex. 75. Chromatic tones in D major.



Ex. 76.



Think gen - tle tho'ts, they will im - part A bless - ed sweet - ness



Ex. 76.

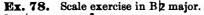


Do gen- tle deeds; they sav - or most, Of vir- tues which the soul may boast.

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76. When the tone B2 is taken as key tone, it is shown by two flats at the beginning of the treble staff, one on the third line (B2), and one in the fourth space (E2). These two flats form the key signature of the key of B2 major.





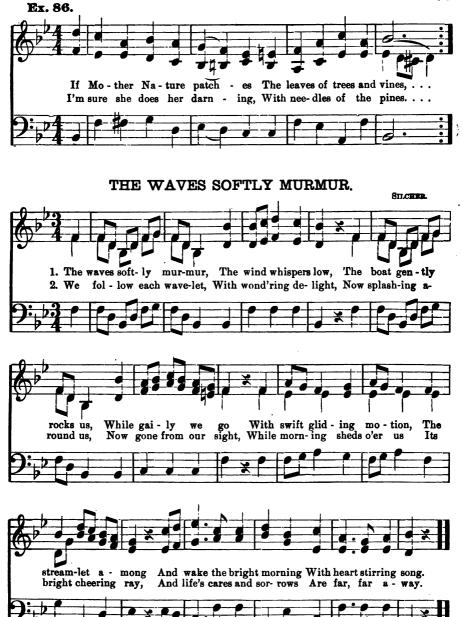
77. When we form a major scale with B2, (the fourth tone of the scale of F-major) as key tone,

we find that there is a whole step between 3 and 4, and a half step between 4 and 5 of the scale, showing that the tone E is a half step too high. We therefore use in its place a tone a half step lower (E|2), and represent it on the same staff degree, thus making the half step in the right place. When the two flats are placed on the staff immediately after the clef on the staff degrees representing B and E, they form the signature of the key of B| major.









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78. Any kind of a note may be used to represent a beat.

79. The upper number of the measure sign at the beginning of the staff, tells how many beats there are in a measure. The lower number tells what kind of a note gets a beat. For example:

means 2 beats to a measure, a quarter note (or its equivalent) gets a beat. means 2 beats to a measure, a half note (or its equivalent) gets a beat.

means 3 beats to a measure, an eighth note (or its equivalent) gets a beat.

RHYTHMIC EXERCISES IN TWO-PART MEASURE.

RHYTHMIC EXERCISES IN FOUR-PART MEASURE.

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81. As different tone lengths are expressed by different kinds of notes in a measure, so silences of corresponding duration are expressed by corresponding rests.

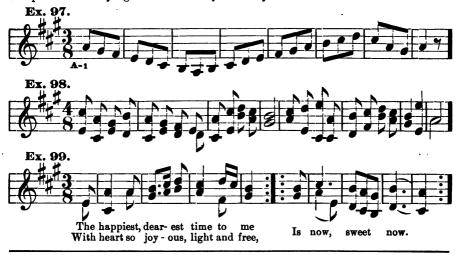
Ex. 90. RHYTHMIC EXERCISES IN DIFFERENT KINDS OF MEASURE.

82. When a portion of a song or exercise is to be repeated with the exception of the last measure or measures, and in their place some other measures are to be sung, it is indicated by the words 1st time, 2d time, (1 mo, 2 do), meaning that the measure or measures marked 1st time, are to be omitted, when the portion is repeated, and the measure or measures marked 2d time are to be sung in their place.

83. Two other signs of abbreviation which are sometimes used are D. C. (Da Capo), which means "from the beginning," and D. S. (Dal Segno), which means "from the sign "S" When either of these two abbreviations is used, the word Fine (End), or a Hold over a double bar is used to show the end of the song or exercise.

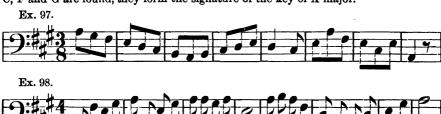


84. When the tone A is taken as key tone, it is indicated by three sharps immediately after the clef, on the staff degrees where F, C and G are represented. These three sharps form the key signature of the key of A major.



85. When we form a major scale with the tone A as key tone,

we find that the half steps are not between 3 and 4, and 7 and 8, and that the tones C, G and F are each a half step too low for use in the scale of A major. We therefore substitute for them three tones each a half step higher C, F, F, G. When the three sharps which will make the staff represent these tones are placed on the degrees where C, F and G are found, they form the signature of the key of A major.





The happiest, dear- est time to me With heart so joy - ous, light and free.

Is now, sweet now. . .





be,

make others free.



86. When the tone E^{\flat} has been taken as key tone, it is shown by three flats at the beginning of the treble staff: one on the third line (B^{\flat}) , one in the fourth space (E^{\flat}) , and one in the third space (A^{\flat}) . These three flats form the signature of the key of E^{\flat} major.



we find that some of the whole steps and half steps are not in the right places. We therefore substitute for the tones that are too high (A and B,) tones a half step lower, (Ap and Bp).

$$\mathbf{E}_{1}^{\flat}\mathbf{w}.\ \mathbf{s}.\mathbf{F}_{2}^{\mathbf{F}}\mathbf{w}.\ \mathbf{s}.\mathbf{G}_{3}^{\mathbf{G}}\mathbf{H}.\ \mathbf{s}.\mathbf{A}_{4}^{\flat}\mathbf{w}.\ \mathbf{s}.\mathbf{B}_{5}^{\flat}\mathbf{w}.\ \mathbf{s}.\mathbf{G}_{6}^{\mathbf{C}}\mathbf{w}.\ \mathbf{s}.\mathbf{O}_{7}^{\mathbf{D}}\mathbf{H}.\ \mathbf{s}.\mathbf{E}_{8}^{\flat}$$

When these three flats are placed upon the staff degrees which represent these tones, they form the signature of the key of Ep major.







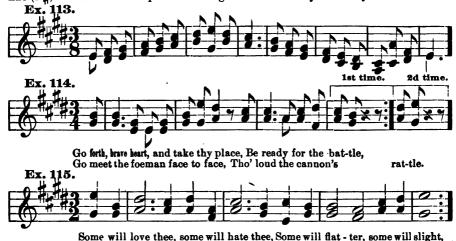




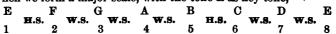




88. When the tone E is taken as key tone, it is indicated by four sharps at the beginning of the staff immediately after the *treble* or G clef, one on the fifth line (F_{μ}^{μ}), one in the third space (C_{μ}^{μ}), one on the space above the staff (G_{μ}^{μ}), and one on the fourth line (D_{μ}^{μ}). These four sharps form the signature of the key of E-major.

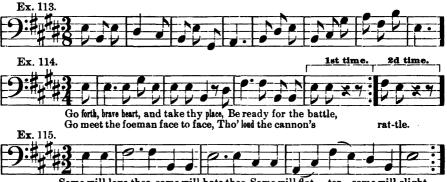


89. When we form a major scale, with the tone E as key tone,

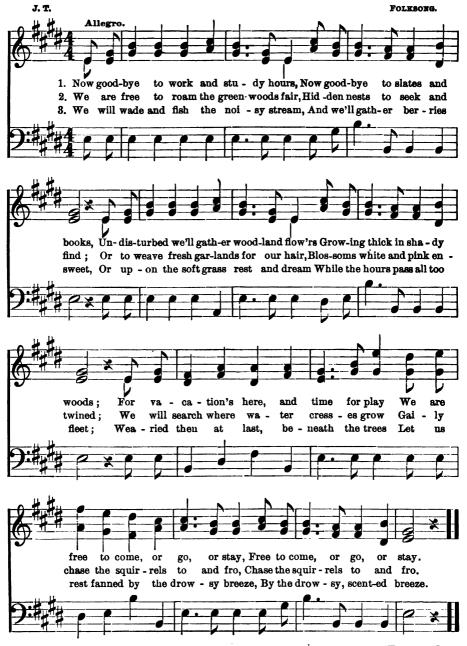


Turn from man and look a - bove thee, Trust in God and do the right.

we find that the whole steps and half steps do not occur in the required order, and that the tones F, G, B and D are each a half step too low for use in the key of E-major. We therefore must substitute for them, tones a half step higher, which can be represented on the same staff degrees, (F, G, G, D, D). When the four sharps which will do this, are placed on the staff immediately after the clef, they form the signature of the key of E-major.



Some will love thee, some will hate thee, Some will flat - ter, some will slight,
Turn from man and look a - bove thee, Trust in God and do the right.



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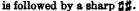
90. If a tone a half step higher is to be represented on a staff degree already bearing a sharp, another chromatic sign * called a DOUBLE SHARP is placed on that staff degree.

91. Like all other chromatic signs, it affects the staff degree on which it is placed

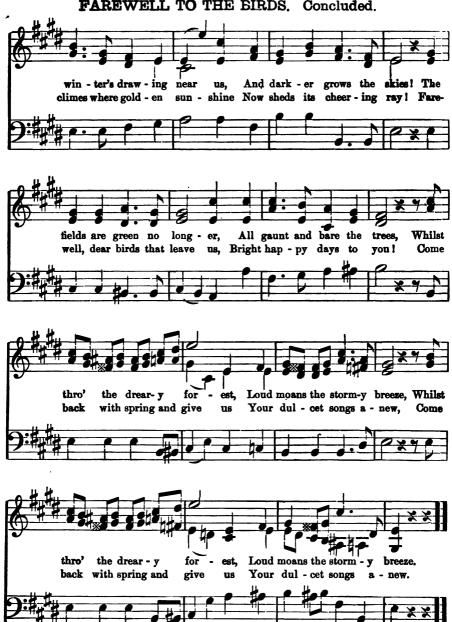
only throughout the measure in which it is used, no further.

When a natural is used after a double sharp, on the same staff degree and in the same measure, it removes the effect of both sharps, and makes the staff degree represent its original pitch, (without any sharp).

92. Therefore, when the key demands the use of a sharp on that degree the natural



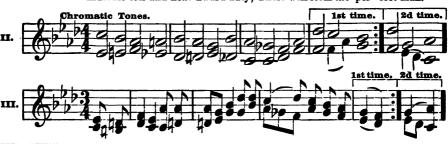




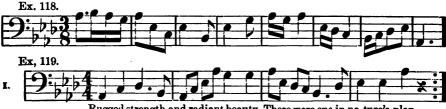
93. When the tone A $\not\!\! 2$ is taken as key tone, it is shown by four flats at the beginning of the staff, immediately after the G clef, one being placed on the third line (B $\not\!\! 2$), one in the fourth space (E $\not\!\! 2$), one in the second space (A $\not\!\! 2$), and one on the fourth line (D $\not\!\! 2$).



Rugged strength and radiant beauty, These were one in na-ture's plan, Humble toil and heav'nward duty, These will form the per-fect man.

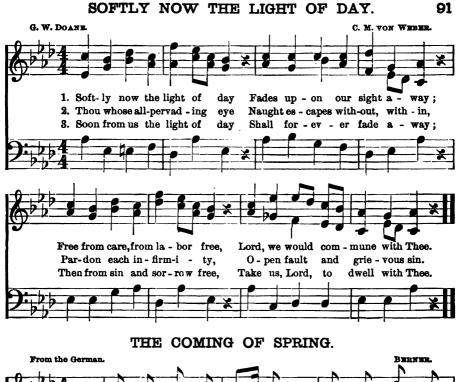


94. When we form a major scale on $A \not \ge$, as in previous lessons, we find that four staff degrees must be made to represent tones a half step lower, $(B \not \ge, G \not >, A \not \ge, D \not \ge)$. These four flats form the signature of the key of $A \not \ge$ major.



Rugged strength and radiant beauty, These were one in na-ture's plan, Humble toil and heav'nward du-ty, These will form the per-fect man.







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95. The character of a song or exercise depends sometimes very much on the speed

with which it is sung.

96. The speed with which the beats follow each other is called the TEMPO. Several Italian words are in common use to denote the tempo. They are: ANDANTE (slow), ANDANTINO (not quite as slow as Andante), MODERATO (Moderate), ALLEGRETTO (a little faster than Moderato), and ALLEGRO (fast, lively).

97. When the tempo of a song or exercise in three part measure, (1, 1) etc., is

Allegro, or even Moderato, we give but one beat to each measure, the down beat.

Ex. 120. Sing first Andante, then Moderato, then Allegro.



II. Sing with the same three tempos, Ex. 107, 109 and 113.

98. By combining two three-part measures, into one measure we will obtain a SIX-PART MEASURE, which however will be different in character from three-part measures, because it will have two different accents, a strong accent falling as usual on the beginning of the first half of the measure and a lighter accent falling on the beginning of the second half of the measure.

99. When the tempo of a song or exercise in six-part measure is Allegro or Moderato, we give but two beats to each measure, down for the first half, up for the second half, but when the tempo is Andante, we give six beats to the measure thus: DOWN. down,

left, right, right, up.

Ex. 121. Sing each exercise, first Andante, then Moderato, then Allegro.

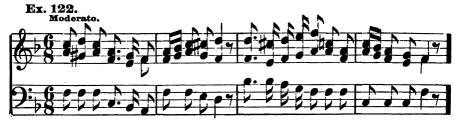


Ex. 120. Sing first Andante, then Moderato, then Allegro.



II. Sing with the same three tempos, Ex. 107, 109 and 113.

Ex. 121. As above.

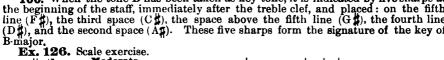






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100. When the tone B has been taken as key tone, it is indicated by five sharps at the beginning of the staff, immediately after the treble clef, and placed: on the fifth line (F#), the third space (C#), the space above the fifth line (G#), the fourth line (D#), and the second space (A#). These five sharps form the signature of the key of

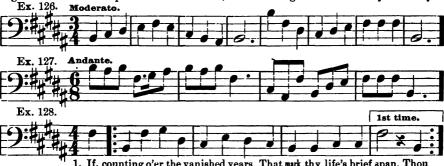




If, counting o'er the vanished years, That mark thy life's brief span, Thou findest they have bro't to thee, True love for God and



101. If we form a major scale beginning on B, as in previous lessons, we find that five staff degrees (F, C, G, D and A) must be made to represent tones a half step higher. The five sharps which will do this, form the signature of the key of B-major.



1. If, counting o'er the vanished years, That mark thy life's brief span, Thou findest they have bro't to thee, True love for God and ...



Then let thy heart be glad, man, Then let thy heart be glad.



102. When the tone D2 is taken as key tone, (1 or do), it is indicated by five flats at the beginning of the staff, immediately after the treble clef, and placed thus: one on the third line (B2), one in the fourth space (E2), one in the second space (A2), one on the fourth line (D2), and one on the second line (G2).



- 103. If a tone a half step lower is to be represented on a staff degree already bearing a flat, another chromatic sign 22, called a DOUBLE FLAT, is placed in that staff degree.
- 104. The double flat affects the staff degree on which it is placed throughout the measure in which it is used, no further.
- 105. If the effect of the double flat on a staff degree is to be removed, a natural followed by a flat $(\sharp \mathcal{V})$ is used, the natural removing the effect of both flats, and the flat following it, making the staff degree again represent the pitch demanded by the key.



106. When we form a major scale on D2, as in previous lessons, we find that five staff degrees must be made to represent tones a half step lower, (B2, E2, A2, D2, G2).



107. Every tone has four properties or elements by which we recognize it. They are length, pitch, power and quality.

108. The length is indicated by different kinds of notes.
109. The pitch by the staff with a clef upon it.

110. The quality depends on the kind of voice or instrument which produces the

tone, and how it is produced.

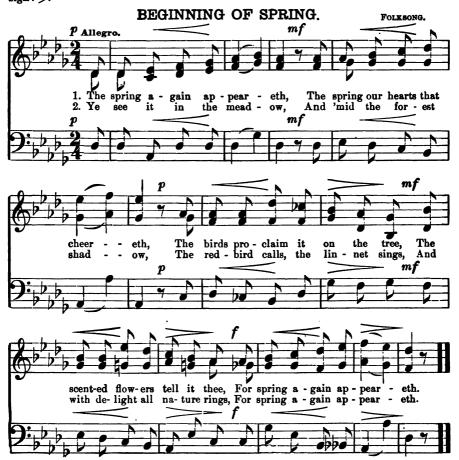
111. The different degrees of tone power desired are usually indicated by the following abbreviations of Italian words: pp for pianissimo—very subdued; p for piano— (subdued;) mf for mezzo-forte (half strong) the ordinary tone power; f for forte (strong) a little more than ordinary tone power; ff for fortissimo (strongest) very great tone power.

112. An increase of tone power from p to mf, or from mf to f etc., is indicated by

the abbreviation cresc. for crescendo, or by a sign like this:

113. A decrease in tone power from f to mf, or from p to pp etc., is indicated by the abbreviation decresc. for decrescendo, or dim. for diminuendo, or by this sign:

114. A sudden accent or force is indicated by the abbreviation of (sforzando), or this sign: >.



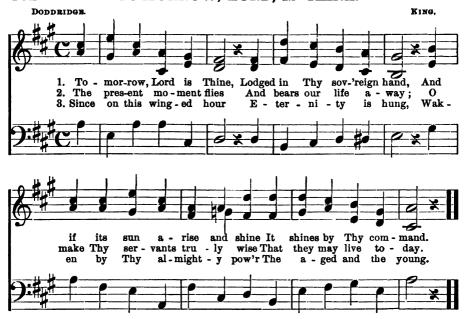




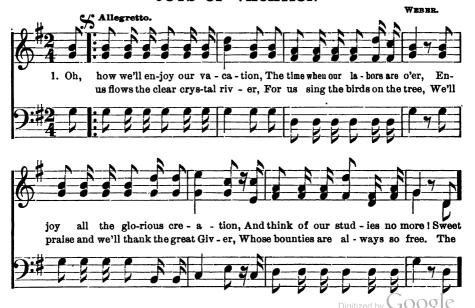


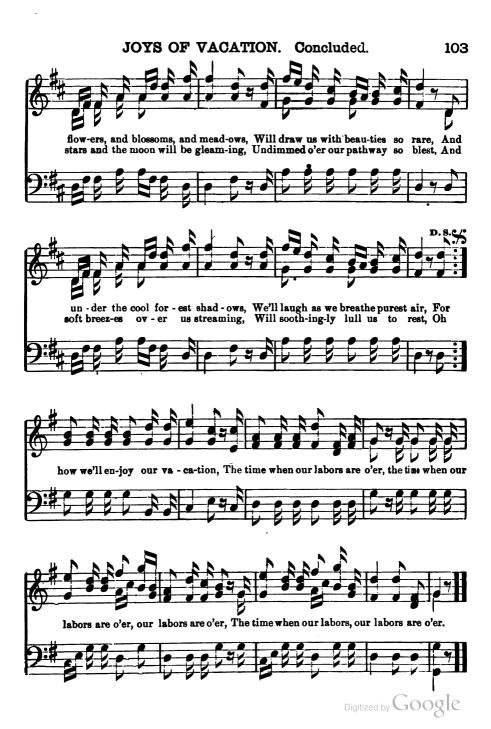


TO-MORROW, LORD, IS THINE.







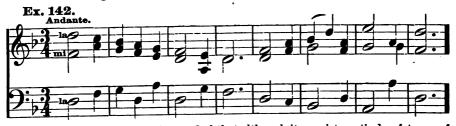


PART III

ADDITIONAL WORK FOR ADVANCED GRADES.

- 117. When the tones of a major key are arranged in the order, $1\,2\,3\,4\,5\,6\,7\,8$ —8 7 $6\,5\,4\,3\,2\,1$, they form the major scale of that key. The scale is named after the tone on which it begins.
- 118. The tones of every major key may also be arranged in another regular scale form, beginning and ending with 6 (la) of the major scale; 6.7123456-65432176.
- 119. When they are arranged in this succession they form the RELATIVE MINOR scale of that major key.
- 120. This new form of scale is also named after the tone with which it begins as, A minor, D minor etc.
 - 121. The minor scale has three forms:
 - 1st. Its NATURAL FORM consisting entirely of tones of the major scale.

Ex. 141. Sing minor scales (natural form) from any given tone.



- 122. In singing this exercise we find that although it consists entirely of tones of the key of F major, it does not sound like F major at-all. This is due to the prominence of the tone 6 (la) throughout the exercise.
- 123. When the tone 6 is thus prominent, especially at the beginning and at the end of an Ex., such Ex. is said to be in the MINOR MODE of the tone which is 6 or la. This exercise is therefore in the minor mode of D or in D minor.
- 124. When we sing this scale as in Ex. 141, the descending scale sounds complete and satisfactory though sad and mournful, but the ascending is not so satisfactory. This is due to the fact that there is no half step between the last two tones of this scale, as there is in all major scales and which gives the last tone the character of the closing tone of the ascending scale.
- 125. By substituting for the next to the last tone (5) a tone a half step higher (25) the scale will sound more complete, and the last tone will have more the character of the closing tone. This gives us the
- 2nd. HARMONIC FORM. consisting entirely of tones of the major scale with the exception of 5 (sol) for which is substituted in ascending and descending the tone \$5 (sil). This tone (\$5 or sil) is the characteristic tone of the MINOR MODE and this scale is the REAL minor scale.

HARMONIC MINOR SCALE.

6 7 1 2 3 4 #5 6—6 #5 4 3 2 1 7 6 w.s. H.s. w.s. w.s. w.s. 1 s. H.s. 1 s. H.s. w.s. w.s. w.s. H.s. w.s. la si do re mi fa sil la la sil fa mi re do si la

Ex. 143. Sing a Harmonic minor scale from any given tone.



- 126. In Ex. 144 the prominence of the tone (6) la at the beginning and end added to the continued presence of the tone \$5, makes the exercise in the minor mode of the the tone which is 6 or la, that is in E minor.
- 127. When we sing the Harmonic minor scale as in Ex. 143, and examine its form, we find that there is an unusual scale interval, a whole step and a half step (1½s.) between 4 and \$5.
- 128. This interval used to be considered as very difficult to sing and as it is preceded in the ascending scale, by a half step (3-4), a tone a half step higher than 4 but represented on the same degree (#4) was considered as an agreeable substitute for 4, in singing scale-wise from 3 to #5 in ascending, while in descending, the #5, (which is the characteristic tone of the minor scale) was omitted and the tone 5 substituted when singing scale-wise from 6 to 4.

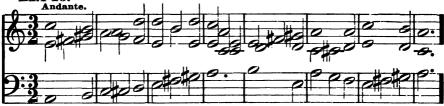
129. This gives us the

3rd. or MELODIC FORM which consists entirely of tones of the major scale ascending and descending, with the exception of 4 and 5, for which in ascending only, are substituted the tones #4 and #5.

MELODIC MINOR SCALE.

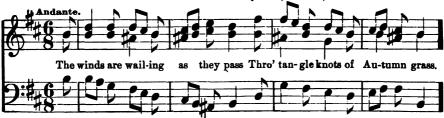
Ex. 145. Sing a Melodic minor scale from any given tone.

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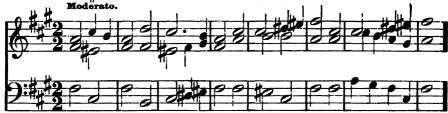
130. In Ex. 146 the Melodic form of the minor scale is used and as the tone A is 6 or la the exercise is in A minor.

Ex. 147. B minor—relative minor of D major. (D is do.)



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Ex. 148. F minor, relative minor of A-major, (A is do.)



Ex. 149. C minor, relative of E-major, (E is do.)



131. In forming the relative minor of major keys, which have for their signature one or more flats, the \$\\$4 or the \$\\$5, or both will be represented by naturals placed on their respective staff degrees, as the natural, by removing the effect of the flat, makes the staff degrees represent a tone a half step higher than the signature assigns to them.



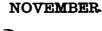
Ex. 151. C-minor, relative minor of E2 major. (E2 is do.) Moderato.





Ex. 153. By minor, relative minor of Dy major. (Dy is do.)







108 Ex. 154. G minor, relative minor of B-major. (B is do.) LOVE OF HOME. Swedish Folksong. 1. When I'm a-way far from my home, My heart is sad, wher-e'er 2. Hear'st thou my plaint so far a-way, Thine is my heart, tho' here I stay, mf mf Great tho' the pleasures which round me may throng, Think I of home ties, Far may I wan-der thro' all my life long, Thine shall my heart be D. S. Great tho' the pleasures which round me may throng. is my song. Thine be my song. Far may I wan-der thro' all my life long.

- 132. Most of the choruses for mixed voices (male and female), are written for four different kinds of voices; sopranos, (the higher female voices); ALTOS, (the lower female voices); TENORS, (the higher male voices); BASSES, (the lower male voices).
- 133. The previous exercises and songs were all written for Soprano, Alto and Bass. The Tenor part is represented in one of two ways,
- 1st. Either on a bass staff above the bass, by the aid of added lines above the staff, or 2d. On a separate staff on which is placed a clef which denotes the tenor part, (C clef,) and makes the third space represent MIDDLE C, which is the pitch represented by the first added line above the bass staff, and also by the first added line below the treble staff.
- 134. When this C-clef or tenor clef is used on a staff, the lines and spaces represent pitches of the same general name, as they do when the G-clef is used, but, as the male voice is an octave lower than the female voice, the pitches represented will be an octave lower.

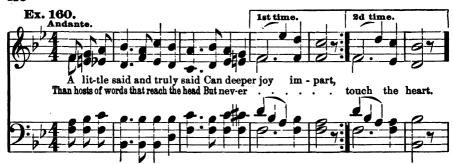
Ex. 155. The same tenor part represented in both cless.



135. As the manner of reading when the tenor clef is used, is the same as when the treble clef is used, there will be no difficulty in its use.

Ex. 156. Tenor and bass part on one staff, sopranos sing tenor part, altos sing bass part.





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136. Compound measures are formed by combining two, three or four measures of three beats each, into one measure:

Two measures of § form one measure of §.

Three measures of § form one measure of §.

Four measures of \frac{1}{3} form one measure of \frac{1}{3}.

137. When the tempo of any song or exercise in compound measure, is Allegro, Allegretto or Moderato, or we give but one beat for every three eighth notes, or their equivalent, \(\frac{2}{3}\) having 3 beats, \(\frac{1}{3}\) four beats to the measure.

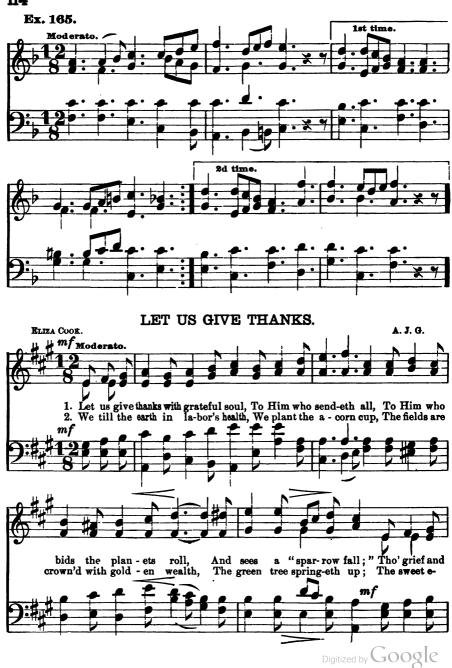
138. When the tempo is Andante, we beat time for $\frac{9}{6}$ measure, thus: **DOWN**, down, down, left, left, left, up, up, up; for $\frac{1}{6}$, **DOWN**, down, down, left, left, right, right,

right, up, up, up.



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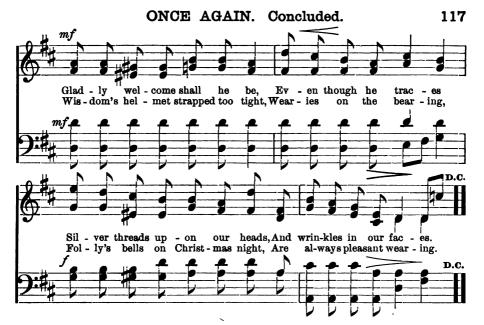




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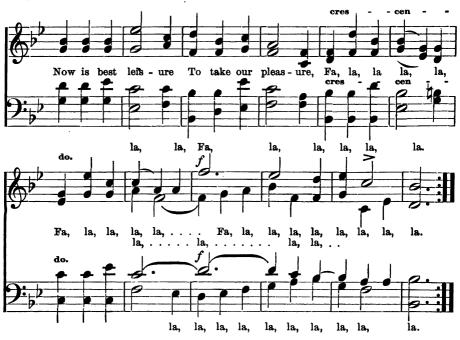


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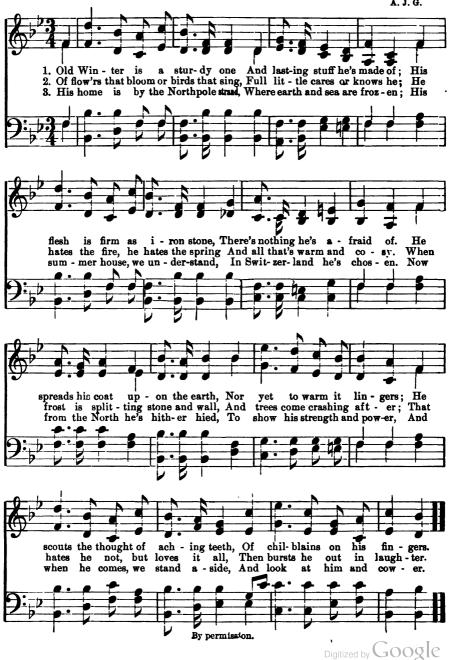




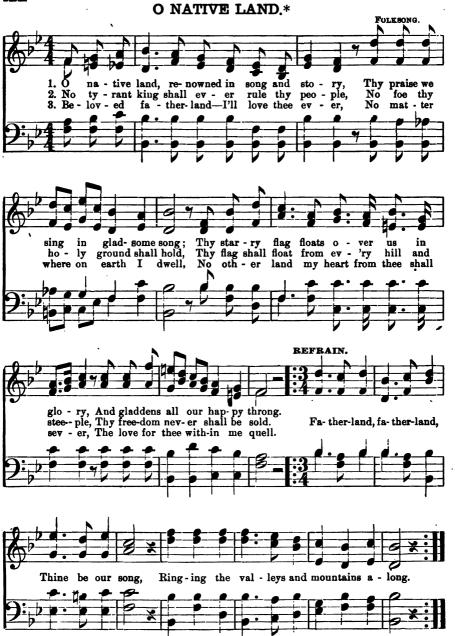








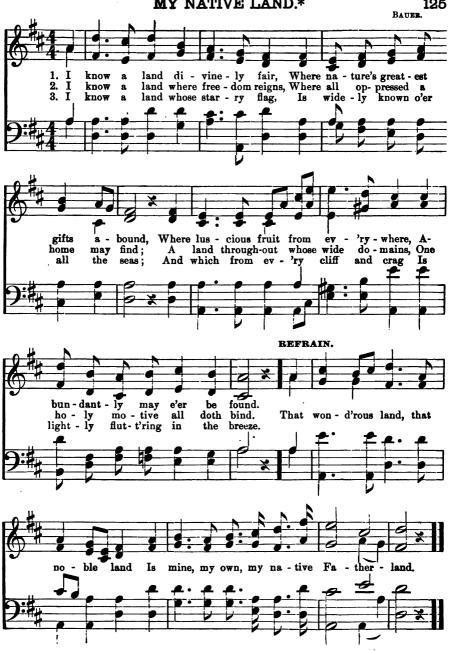






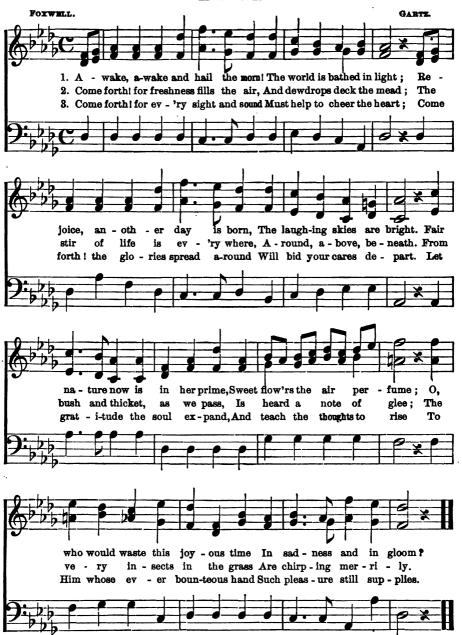






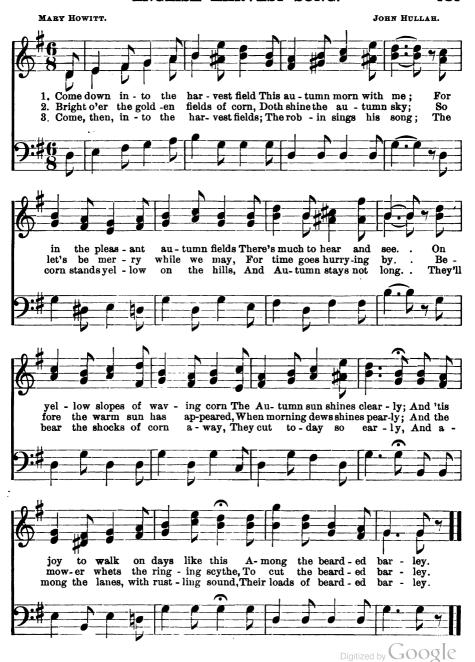
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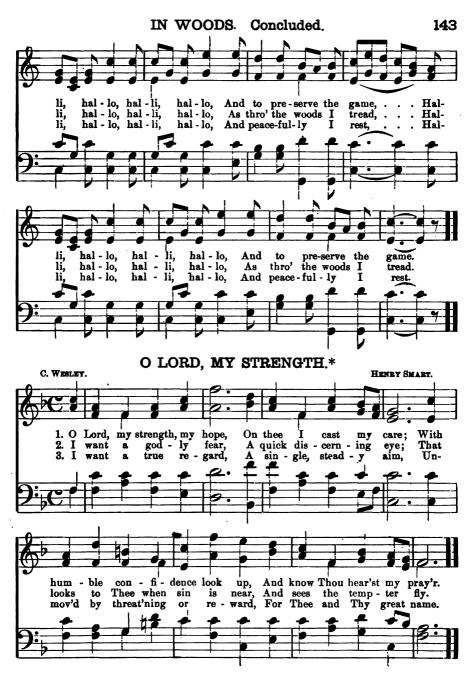




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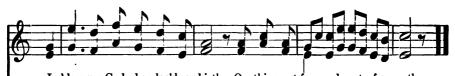
- 1. My na-tive land, my na-tive land! O'er land and sea let oth-ers roam;
- 2. You ask me why I love my land? Is it be-cause her wide com-mand
- 3. Is it be-cause her mean-est son Is free as king up on his throne?
- 4. Is it be-cause her chil-dren know Home comforts, and the fire-side glow?





I bless my God who plac'd my birth On this most fav-ored spot of earth, Is own'd by all the na-tions round, And felt wher-ev-er man is found? Or is it that the poor man's cause Is mark'd and guard-ed by her laws? The free-man's house! his "cas-tle home," Where "kings, un-bid-den, dare not come!"





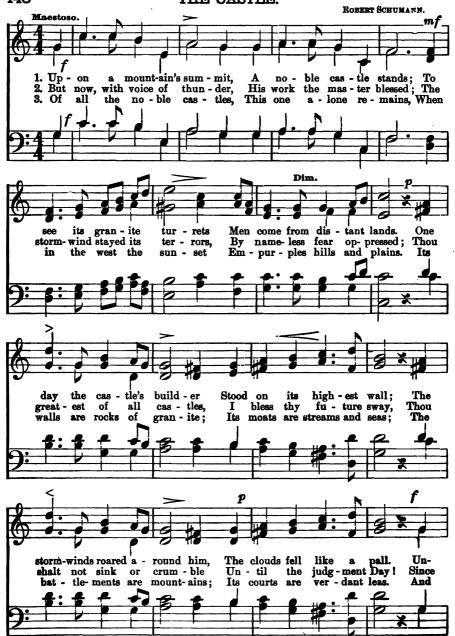
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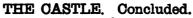








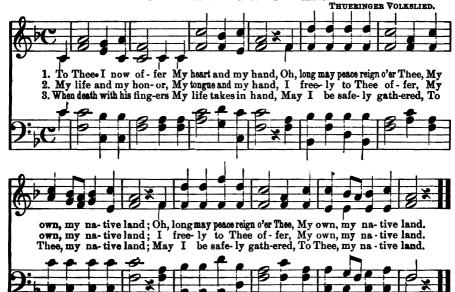




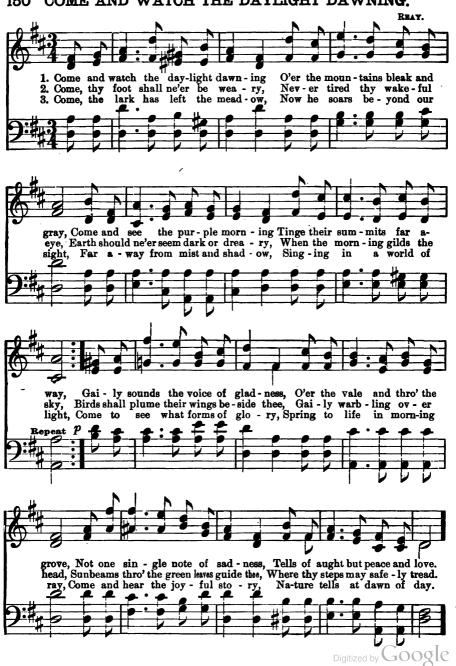
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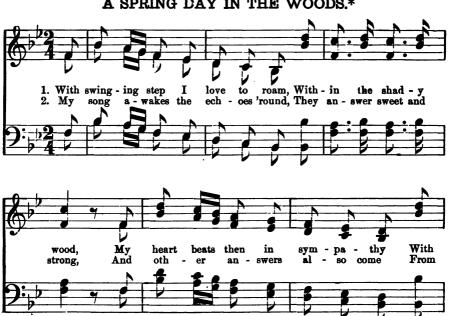




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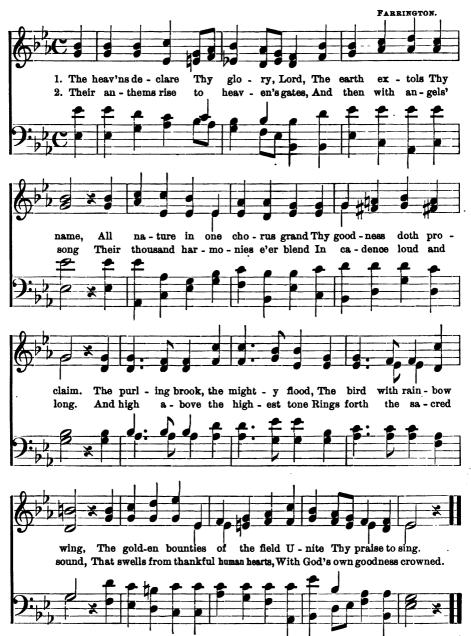




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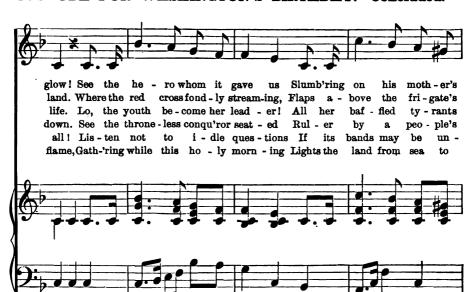
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breast, For the arm he stretched to save us, Be its morn for-ev - er blest.

deck, Where the gold - en lil - ies gleam-ing, Star the watchtow'rs of Que - bec.

yield; Thro' his arm the Lord hath freed her; Crown him on the tent - ed field!

choice; See the pa-triot's task com-plet - ed; Hear the Father's dy - ing voice!

tied; Doubt the pa - triot whose sug-ges-tions Strive a na - tion to di - vide!"

sea, Hear thy coun - cil, heed thy warn-ing, Trust us while we hon - or thee!



















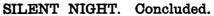






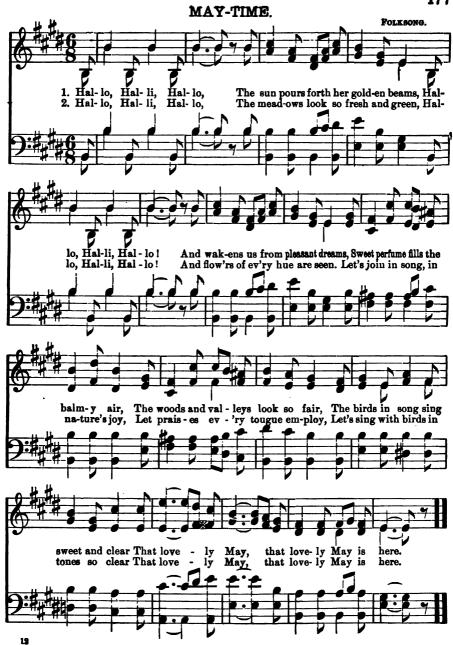






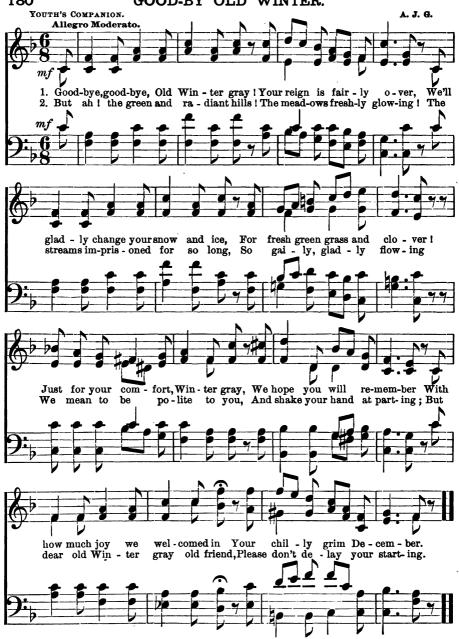




















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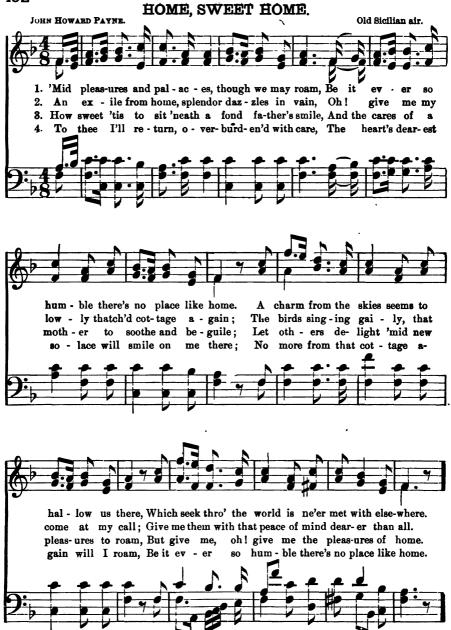








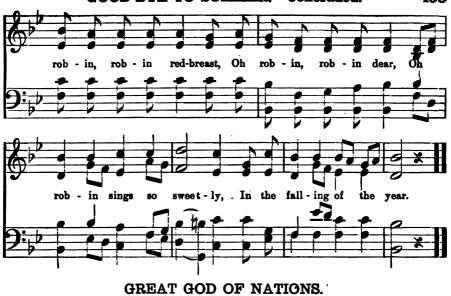










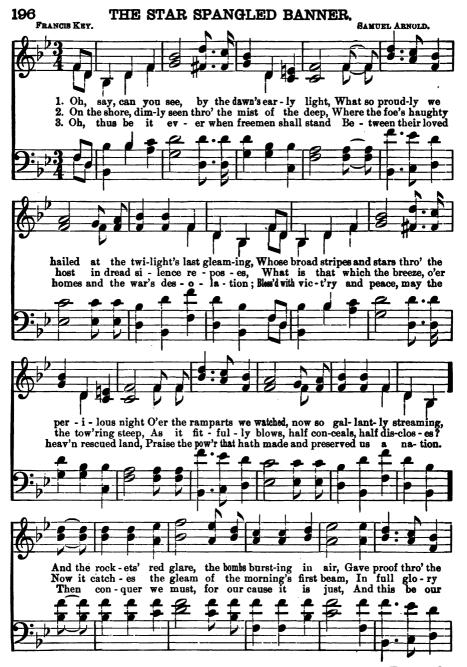






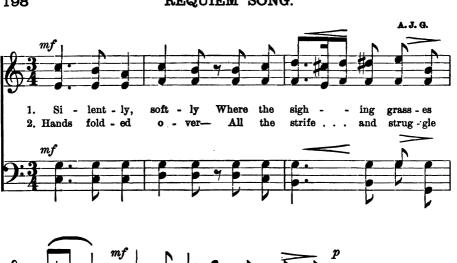
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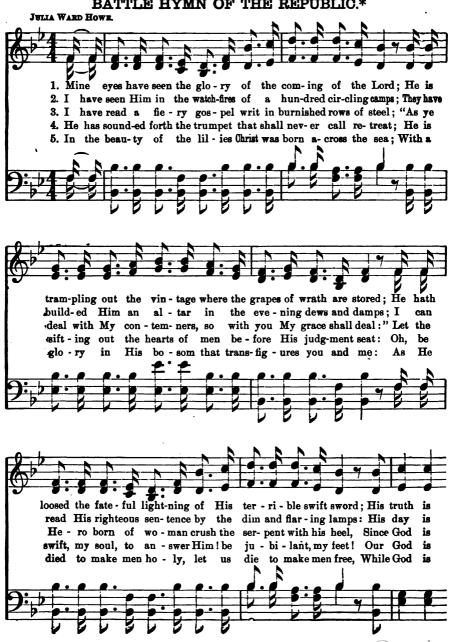
























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